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**BY ECF**

The Honorable Katherine B. Forrest  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Ross Ulbricht*  
14 Cr. 68 (KBF)

Dear Judge Forrest:

This letter is submitted on behalf of defendant Ross Ulbricht, whom I represent in the above-entitled case, setting forth the position of the parties with respect to whether a juror questionnaire should be utilized for the purposes of jury selection at Mr. Ulbricht's upcoming trial. It is Mr. Ulbricht's position that a juror questionnaire is necessary in this case. My associate, Lindsay A. Lewis, Esq., has spoken with Assistant United States Attorney Serrin Turner and he has informed her that the government would oppose Mr. Ulbricht's request for a juror questionnaire. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Court grant Mr. Ulbricht three weeks, until August 22, 2014, to submit a proposed questionnaire and letter motion, providing Mr. Ulbricht's rationale for his request for a juror questionnaire, to the Court.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: Serrin Turner & Timothy T. Howard, Assistant United States Attorneys